

BACKGROUND INVESTIGATIONS AND RECRUITING FOR LE



**Texas City Police Department
1004 9th Avenue North
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Your Presenter



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Topics Include:

- The importance of a recruiting plan
- Assessment of your organization
- What type of employees do you want
- Marketing and selling your organization
- Professional standards model for backgrounds
- Why background investigations are necessary
 - Sources of information
- Investigative techniques
- On-line data bases/social networking sites
- Web sites and additional sources of information
 - Polygraph questions/usage
- Psychological & behavioral testing
- Candidate interview techniques
- Reference interview techniques

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"Very helpful information. The instructor had a lot of information on a lot of different topics. Enjoyed the information. I will be conducting additional research. Thank you for the sample forms and the On-Target Solutions Group."

Sgt. Corey Hodge, Harris County Constable PCT 3

"The instructor was very knowledgeable about background investigations and the laws conducting them. This is the first course I've taken on the subject and I learned a lot."

Sgt. Don Stone, Victoria PD

"The instructor's knowledge and ability to convey the subject matter was excellent. I needed this info as I am new to background investigations. It was well received and very informative."

Ofc. Terry Ashabanner, Humble PD